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1. VEB Dieselmotorenwerk, Rostock

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The provisional plan (Vorprojekt) for expansion of VEB Dieselmotorenwerk, Rostock, is to laid before the East Zone Ministerrat on 10 October 1955. Since planning was started, it has been decided to reduce the number of cranes in Workshops 6, Aisle 1 (Schiff I) to two single ones. According to a senior official of the Dieselmotorenwerk, the engines to be constructed are for export only.

2. VEB Schiffswerft "Neptun" Rostock

a. KUBAN

The B.7. has left on its final trials and, according to an official of the Neptunwerft, will not return to Rostock.

b. <u>Icebreaker - KASTOR</u>

Repairs and modifications to the KASTOR are still in progress for the USSR.

c. Russian Warships

Seven Soviet Russian naval vessels are lying in the Neptunwerft harbor. According to a seaman of the Seepo, all of these vessels are minesweepers of approximately 3,000 tons.

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3. VEB Warnowwerft. Warnemuende

- a. A 10,000-ton ship is lying on the stocks. It is due for launching in October.
- b. The proposed Warnemuende dry dock is to have the following measurements:

Length:

120 meters

Width:

42 "

Depth:

9 " S-E-C-R-E-T

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